

Intervention: Plan a Safe Strategy (PASS)

Finding: Sufficient evidence for ineffectiveness

Potential partners to undertake the intervention:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Nonprofits or local coalitions | <input type="checkbox"/> Businesses or labor organizations |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Schools or universities | <input type="checkbox"/> Media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health care providers | <input type="checkbox"/> Local public health departments |
| <input type="checkbox"/> State public health departments | <input type="checkbox"/> Policymakers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitals, clinics or managed care organizations | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |

Background on the intervention:

Plan a Safe Strategy (PASS) includes 12 lessons that aim to modify students' attitudes and beliefs towards drinking and driving, subjective beliefs and norms, and perceived control over their own behavior. In addition, it includes extensive use of role playing and other interactive activities.

Findings from the systematic reviews:

A systematic review by Foxcroft, et al., asserts that PASS is an ineffective intervention and does not recommend its implementation.

References:

Foxcroft DR, Ireland D, Lister-Sharp DJ, Lowe G, Breen R. Longer-term primary prevention for alcohol misuse in young people: a systematic review. *Addiction* 2003 Apr; 98(4):397-411.